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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated June 14, 2005, Applicant responds to the restriction requirement as follows:

In the Restriction Requirement the claims were divided into two groups.


Group 1 - Claims 1-9, drawn to an optical wavelength switch; and

Group II - Claim 10, drawn to a semiconductor waveguide fabrication method.

Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-9 for further prosecution on the merits.

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